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THOMAS HODGES,
BAKER & GROCER,
DOUGLAS STREET.
BREAD & GROCERIES
Delivered by my cart to any part of the city FREE OF CHARGE. de21

BASS' ALE
IN TIERCES AND HDS,
New Brew,
PER BARK PRINCESS ROYAL,
For Saleby
oc21 3m HENRY NATHAN, Jn. & CO.

KEATINGS COUGH LOZENGES—Which are daily recommended by the faculty, Testimonials of which may be seen,—Sold in Boxes and Tins, by

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THE
VANCOUVER COAL CO.
DELIVER AT NANAIMO THEIR
BEST DOUGLAS COAL
At $5 50 per Ton
Newcastle COAL at
$4 50 per Ton.
DROSS or SLACK
at $2 50 per Ton
ja6 1m d&w

NOTICE
FROM AND AFTER THIS DATE THE undersigned will deliver coal in town at the following rates, viz—
Best Nanaimo Coal at $10 the English ton.
Newcastle Coal at $9 50 do do
FULL WEIGHT GUARANTEED.
Orders may be left at Messrs Willson & Rickman's, Corner Fort and Douglas streets.
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AFTER THIS DATE THE UNDERSIGNED will deliver Coal to parties in town at the following rates per English ton:—
Best Nanaimo Coal.....$10 00
Newcastle Coal.....$ 9 50
JAMES FRAIN,
Sproat's Wharf, Store Street.
Victoria, Dec 31, 1870. ja1

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THE QUEEN CHARLOTTE COAL Mining Company have on hand a large quantity of Anthracite Coal at BRODRICK & CO'S Wharf, which it offers for sale at $12 PER TON It will be found very superior for family use, going much further than Bituminous Coal and emitting no smoke or offensive smell in burning. no16

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MRS JOHNSTONE
Has removed part of the Stock of
Fancy Goods
Candies,
Platedware,
Cutlery,
&c. &c.
—TO THE—
NEW FRENCH HOTEL,
GOVERNMENT STREET,
Where she intends carrying on the business she so successfully managed in Fort street. She begs to thank her former customers and hopes they will patronise her in her more extensive undertaking, assuring them that as she has made arrangements for the arrival of
Goods by each Vessel from the European Manufacturers,
That she is in a position to offer her wares at the
LOWEST PRICE!
And that no attention shall be wanting to give the greatest satisfaction. She takes this opportunity
To Warn all Purchasers against
CHEAP CANDIES!!
As she sells none but from the well-known house of Weatherspoon, whose guarantee and analysis have proved that their Candies contain no whiting or other deleterious matter, and therefore purchasers should not look so much to cheapness as to the health of themselves and their children.
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PLATEDWARE from the celebrated house of Elkington & Co. which is sufficient to guarantee its quality. Also—Well selected
FRENCH JEWELERY will be kept in great variety, in fact a frequent visit to Mrs Johnstone's new Bazaar will reveal that neither taste nor expense is spared in any department and will afford amusement to all.
Elastics Sewn into Boots by Machinery.
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MRS. E. A. CLARK,
Fancy Goods Emporium,
FORT STREET,
HAS RECEIVED A LARGE INVOICE of
TOYS, DOLLS, & FANCY GOODS!
And respectfully solicits a share of Public patronage.
ALSO—a full assortment of
Berlin Wools and Patterns,
All kinds of CROCHET WORK on hand and to order.
Stamping for Braiding and Embroidery
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AGENTS for Ibbotson & Co's Celebrated Fraser River Salmon. no 1

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This Establishment
Is now Open for the Reception of Guests
And is recommended to the Traveling Public as a
FIRST-CLASS HOTEL.
THE ROOMS HAVE ALL BEEN
REFURNISHED,
And particular attention is paid to
CLEANLINESS AND GOOD ORDER
APARTMENTS will be let by the DAY, WEEK MONTH, at a Great Reduction from Former Rates, and Travelers are requested to inspect the Hotel before seeking an accommodation elsewhere.
J. FRIED,
oc20 1m Proprietor!

Bank Exchange Saloon
CORNER LANGLEY AND YATES STS,
WM LOHSE, - - - - Proprietor.
THE BEST
WINES, LIQUORS AND CIGARS
de30 3m dispensed.

AMERICAN HOTEL.
YATES STREET
THE PROPRIETOR WOULD RESPECTFULLY inform the Travelling Public that the American Hotel, having been recently improved in all its Departments, he is now prepared to offer superior inducements to his Patrons and the public in general
AT REDUCED PRICES.
City Boarders per day.....$1 00
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☞ Meals From—Breakfast, 6½ to 11 o'clock; Lunch, 12 to 2; Dinner, 5 to 7. ja4

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THIS BEAUTIFULLY SITUATED AND Well Furnished Establishment is open for the reception of guests, where the public generally and ESPECIALLY FAMILIES, will find every comfort of a well conducted house.
THE TABLE is supplied with the Best the Market affords.
TERMS.
Board and Lodging per Week.....$6 00 & $7 00
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ST. CHARLES HOTEL,
CORNER FRONT AND MORRISON STREETS,
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JOHN J. JACOBS - - Proprietor.
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THIS HOUSE IS SITUATED ON THE corner of Commercial and Washington streets and in proximity to the Post office, Bank, &c
Travelers can rely on good accommodation. au31 6mdw

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THE MOST COMMODIOUS & CLEAN Hotel in Victoria It is conducted on the European principle, The Table is supplied with the very best the market affords
MEALS at all hours of the day. Private Diningrooms for Families.
CHARGES—Board and Lodging per week, $5 50 to $6 50; Board and Lodging per day, $1; Single Meals, 37½ cents; Beds, 50 cents.
TERMS—Cash in Advance
☞ A Fire-proof Safe in the House. ☜ de18 3m

TEN-PIN SALOON,
GOVERNMENT STREET.
THIS ESTABLISHMENT HAS BEEN fitted up in the most elegant style, and is now open to the Public The Bar is supplied with the Best of Wines, Liquors and Cigars.
☞ A FREE LUNCH EVERY DAY. ☜
THE TEN-PIN ALLEY is one of the most complete on the Pacific Coast W. LUSH,
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LUNCH DAILY—From 11 a. m. to 3 p. m., and from 9 to 12 p m.
PETER'S CELEBRATED CLAM CHOWDER,
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IMPORTER & DEALER IN
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All the Latest Styles received by every Steamer, which he offers
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Where?
WHY, TO THE ARCADE, OF COURSE to get some of those GREAT BIG FELLOWS the Levy is now dishing up to tickle the palates of his numerous patrons. ARCADE OYSTER SALOON,
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Johnson Street.
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HAMS AND BACON
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SMOKED TONGUES, HEAD CHEESE, SMOKED BEEF, &c
FRESH MEATS of all kinds constantly on hand, Wholesale and Retail, at reasonable rates, and delivered in all parts of the city free of charge
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EX 'ADA.'
RANSOMES & SIMS'
Ploughs;
Harrows;
Turnip Drills;
Grubbers.

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For sale by
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500 BBLS S. I. SUGAR, Various grades
100 BBLS MOLASSES.
For sale by
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FURS, HIDES,
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L. & J. BOSCOWITZ, Yates Street.
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Johnson street, Victoria.

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And Ginger Beer.
Also—Raspberry, Gum and Lemon Syrup.
☞ ORDERS left at T. SHOTBOLT'S Drug Store; or at the Aerated Water Works corner of Cook and Yates streets, Victoria, will receive prompt attention. no5

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The most Beautiful all just arrived per "ADA" from London, at
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CALL AT ONCE
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Make Your Selection
Rocking Horses!!
Government Street, Dec 16, 1870.
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TAILOR AND DYER,
Yates Street, next to Wells, Fargo & Co's
Victoria, V. I.
CLOTHING RENOVATED AND REPAIRED Plain Dresses Dyed without being taken to pieces Faded Damask Curtains restored
Gent's secondhand Clothing bought, sold, or taken in exchange for work oc1

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"SHIP GOLDEN AGE."
NEITHER THE CAPTAIN NOR the undersigned Consignees, will be responsible for any debts contracted by the crew of the above vessel.
SPROAT & CO,
de4 Wharf street

NOTICE.
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JAMES A GRAHAME,
Chief Factor Hudson Bay Company.
Victoria, V I., Dec. 1870 de28

NOTICE.
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All goods remaining on the wharf after 5 o'clock, p m. each day will be stored at the risk and expense of the owners JAMES A. GRAHAME,
Chief Factor Hudson Bay Company.
Victoria, Dec. 27, 1870. de28

THE SHORTEST & CHEAPEST ROUTE
TO THE
Peace River Gold Diggings
IS BY THE
SKEENA RIVER!
THE UNDERSIGNED IS NOW prepared with authentic Charts and Maps of the entire route from Victoria to the Head waters of the Skeena, and will give the most reliable information to persons bound to the mines.
Steamers and Sailing Vessels will be laid on, and Freight and Passengers taken at very moderate rates.
For information apply to JER NAGLE,
ja7 Shipping Agent.

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THE SPLENDID NEW STEAMER
Olympia,
CAPTAIN.....D B FINCH
Will leave Victoria for Olympia and Way Ports every Tuesday Morning and Thursday Evening until further notice.
FARE.....TWO DOLLARS.
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BUTCHER
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALER IN
Meats and Vegetables,
PURVEYOR BY APPOINTMENT TO
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Maps of all the different Districts on the Island may be seen at his office. Parties desirous of purchasing homesteads, or making investments, will find on his Bulletin Board Town Lots on nearly every street; Farming or Gardening Land in every District, some of which afford a rare chance for investment.
Money on bond and mortgage to loan, in sums to suit the demands.
Conveyances of every description done at reasonable rates. ja14 1m

COAL OIL.
The New "Astral" Oil
A VERY SUPERIOR ARTICLE, PUT up in one gallon tins and sold at $1 25 per tin by
WALLACE & HUTCHESON.
Wharf st, Victoria, Dec 24, 1870. de24

For the Holidays!!
EVANS & WILLIAMS
Have Reduced
THE PRICE OF THEIR
ISLAND FED PORK,
Hams and Bacon.
Superb Hams - - - 25 cts per lb
Elegant Breakfast Bacon 20 cts per lb
ALL ELSE IN PROPORTION.
CHRISTMAS GEESE
ROLLING IN FAT
Cheaper than any other House can Sell them.
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A BEAUTIFUL AND WELL ASSORTED Collection of
BRITISH COLUMBIAN VIEWS
AND INDIAN PHOTOGRAPHS,
May be had of MESSRS GREEN,
At their Photographic Gallery,
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MUSCULAR CHRISTIANITY,
Sparring Exhibition!!
OPEN ON MONDAY AND SATURDAY evening of each week at Armstrong's
OLD LAGER BEER CELLAR,
Corner Johnson & Store Streets.
Wm. POOLE, M.C.
N.B.—Private instruction imparted every afternoon from 4 to 6, by Wm Poole. ja5 1

THE BRITISH COLONIST.

Friday Morning, Jan 20, 1871.

Road Steamers.

It hath been well said that progress breeds wants, and that as one need is provided for two needs are born. One of the early prejudices against which railway enterprise had to contend arose out of the popular belief that the steam locomotive would supersede and throw into desuetude all other kinds of locomotion, that animal power, being unable to compete, would cease to be employed, and, consequently, all the horses, oxen, mules, and asses in the land would become valueless, their occupation and that of all those trafficking therein, would, like that of the Ephesian shrine-makers, be gone. How completely have these prejudices, these superstitions, been exploded by actual results. The enormous power of absorption and transmission possessed by this new means of locomotion soon placed all the animal power in the land under contribution; and the demand grew until new modes of feeding them were rendered imperative. Thus we saw the ponderous traction-engine introduced a few years ago. But the traction-engine proved a failure. Its enormous weight—some twenty tons—the fearful havoc it made with the roads, the injury to the machinery caused by the jarring on rough roads, and the noise made by the engine, frightening animals and occasioning inconvenience and accident—these contributed chiefly to the failure of the old traction-engine. But all these defects have been overcome by R. W Thomson, an eminent Civil Engineer of Edinburgh, who has, after long experiment and great expenditure, succeeded in producing a traction-engine which appears in every respect to meet the want. "Thomson's Road Steamer" has been subjected to the severest tests, and it would appear to have fully realized the most sanguine expectations formed with regard to it. In a recent number of the *Scientific American* will be found a very interesting description of this new "Road-steamer." One of its most important peculiarities consists in a ring of soft vulcanized rubber, twelve inches in width and five inches in thickness, which surrounds the iron tire. Over this rubber band there is placed an endless chain of steel plates, three and a half inches wide, which series of plates constitutes the portion of the wheel coming in immediate contact with the hard road. "Perhaps," says our scientific contemporary, "One of its most important features, as concerns its use in this country, is its ability to run over soft ground or muddy roads. The rigid-tired traction engines in England are able to slowly grind over their hard and magnificently macadamized roads, but upon our common dirt roads they would be utterly useless. In this respect the road-steamer has not been inaptly compared to the elephant and camel, whose elastic cushioned feet enable them to cross the soft yielding sands of the desert. It is this same elastic cushion which prevents injury to the roads, and which, acting as springs or buffers between the rough road and the gearing, saves the machinery from damage. The work done by the wheel in depressing the rubber in front, is again preformed by the rubber at the rear in urging the wheel forward, so that one exactly balances the other; hence there is no loss." The difficulty of noise has been most successfully overcome by an ingenious device in connection with the exhaust steam, and Thomson's iron-horse may now be seen travelling with muffled tread alongside of horses of softer metal, between whom there would now appear to exist the best possible understanding. This new 'Road-Steamer' also possesses a wonderful faculty for making sharp curves, a point of no little importance on the roads of this colony. 'When attached to a loaded train of four waggons by a single triangle coupling the whole can be turned in any road of ordinary width, each waggon following in the exact wake of the steamer.' In point of weight this steamer is no less an improvement upon the old traction-engine, weighing, as it does, less than seven tons. From its lightness and the peculiarity of its wheels, it is really less destructive to roads than the ordinary vehicles now in use: it must have been suggested to the reader's reflection that 'Thomson's Road-Steamers' are the desideratum for the internal carrying trade of British Columbia. It will be within the recollection of many that in 1863 a Bill was passed by the Legislature of the then separate colony of British Columbia, granting to a company the right to use the traction-engine upon the trunk road of the mainland. That the gentlemen to whom the privilege was granted never availed themselves of it may probably be attributed to a very natural hesitation to embark in so expensive an experiment; and the subsequent failure of the traction-engine to fulfil the expectations which had been formed regarding it would appear to attest the wisdom of their hesitation. It is already known that Messrs. Beedy and Barnard are about to ask for a similar privilege in respect of 'Thomson's Road-Steamer.' That the privilege will be granted can hardly admit of doubt; but that the gentlemen asking for the privilege will avail themselves of it may, possibly, be open to doubt. Not that we lack faith in the adaptation of 'Thomson's Road-Steamer' to the wants of the colony; nor that we expect to see these gentlemen hesitate where others would advance,—the impress of their enterprise is too clearly discernble upon the history of the mainland to admit of any doubt on that point. But we understand that to properly stock the road between Yale and Cariboo with these steamers and waggons, &c, would involve an expenditure falling but little below one hundred thousand dollars. The reflection that the undertaking must, after all, to a great extent partake of the nature of an experiment, that it will have to overcome all the old prejudices, and that it will, in the outset, involve such a large expenditure is, indeed, calculated to cause the most enterprising to hesitate. We are anxious to believe, however, that there may be no hesitation about carrying out a scheme calculated to exert such a powerful influence upon the development of the resources of the interior.

The Fire Tax.

It will have been seen that the City Fathers have decided to apply to the Legislature for amendment of the Fire Act, so as to raise the rate from one-eight of one per cent to one-sixth of one per cent; and also to levey an annual license upon each of the Fire Insurance Companies doing business in the city of $250 per annum, for the relief of the Fire Department. We will yield to none in a desire to see our very efficient Fire Department liberally sustained. When a number of our fellow-citizens, having interests in common, are willing to give their time, their services, and no little share of their money, too, towards protecting the public from the most destructive of all the elements, the very least that the public can do in return is to sustain the organization in a liberal spirit. But, then, a tax for that purpose, to be just, must be general. The Fire Department is no respecter of persons. It protects the property of all classes; and the property of all should be placed under contribution to sustain the organization in a condition of efficiency. We are not aware who it was that hit upon the ingenious plan of reaching the public for this purpose, through the doubtless convenient medium of Fire Insurance Policies; but we take the liberty of thinking that it is not the most equitable or wise expedient that might be devised. In the first place, it is really only the few that are thus made to pay for what is a common good. It is a fact that must be present to every reflecting mind that a majority do not insure their property. Is it fair that the provident few should be made to pay both their own share and that of their improvident neighbors? Is it not a tax upon providence, on the one hand, and a premium for improvidence on the other? Is not the tendency of the tax to prevent people from insuring, by raising the rates, and thus narrowing still more the already too narrow basis of the tax? The reader will understand that all such taxes and licenses imposed upon the Insurance Companies are, as a matter of course, added to the rates and, consequently, come out of the pocket of the assured. It must be clear, therefore, that the higher the fewer will insure, and the more unfair will this basis of taxation become. Thus we submit that the present mode of raising a revenue for the Fire Department is both inequitable in principle and pernicious in its inevitable tendency; and, instead of intensifying the evil, by increasing the rates of insurance still farther, we should be glad to see an effort made to devise a means of attaining the very laudable object in view in a less objectionable way.

St Andrew's & Caledonian Benevolent Association.

A SPECIAL MEETING OF THE Association will be held in New Dominion Hall at 7½ o'clock THIS (Friday) EVENING for the purpose of considering the advisability of co-operating with other Societies in the Passage of a Bill to Incorporate the Benevolent Societies of Victoria. JAMES ORR
ja20 Vice President.

FINE
CROCKERY
AND
GLASSWARE,
FOR SALE IN LOTS TO SUIT
R, F. PICKETT & CO.
ja20 1m

FOR SKEENA RIVER AND FORT SIMPSON.

THE HUDSON BAY COMPANY'S STEAMer "OTTER," will sail from the Company's wharf for the above ports on or about WEDNESDAY the 1st of February
For Freight or Passage apply to CAPTAIN LEWIS,
ja20 td On Board.

Omineca Gold Mines
SKEENA RIVER ROUTE

WE HAVE MEANS AT OUR command that will enable us to freight Goods from the mouth of Skeena river to the Forks for
TWO AND A HALF CTS PER LB.
We will also convey Passengers from the Mouth to the Forks for the fare of
FIFTEEN DOLLARS EACH!
Each passenger will be allowed to carry 100 lbs of freight without extra charge.
We are also prepared to supply miners with OUTFITS and General Merchandise at reasonable rates, and shall transact a FORWARDING and COMMISSION BUSINESS
CUNNINGHAM & HANKIN.
For further particulars apply to
ja20 J. NAGLE, Shipping Agent

WM. STEINBERGER,
Wholesale and Retail Dealer in
Wines & Liquors
JOHNSON STREET,
ja20 6m Next to the Ferry Landing.

E. O. SELIGER,
Teacher on the Piano and Violin and of Vocal Music.
Residence—Cor Fort and Douglas streets.

PARENTS AND OTHERS DESIROUS to take lessons, can obtain information at Mr Jungermann's Jewelery Store, Government street, whose has kindly agreed to receive all orders.
☞ Evening Parties and Balls attended on the shortest Notice. Also, Pupils taught at their homes if desired ja14

JOHN WILSON
WILL OPEN
The "Garrick's Head,"
THIS DAY,
Thursday, January 19th, 1871.
LUNCH served at 12 m. ja10

New Advertisements.

A. B. GRAY,
Government street, Victoria, B. C.
IMPORTER OF STAPLE AND FANCY
Dry Goods.
☞ Additions to his Stock received overland monthly from the best European Markets. ja15

CARD.
HAVING SOLD OUT MY STOCK IN Trade to Mr. W. J. Jeffree, I take this opportunity of thanking my friends and the public for past favors and solicit a continuance of the same for my successor, who I feel satisfied will merit the same.
Victoria, Jan. 11, 1871. LEWIS LEWIS.

I WOULD RESPECTFULLY INFORM the Public of Victoria and vicinity that I have this day purchased from Mr Lewis Lewis of Yates Street, his entire Stock of Custom Made Clothing, Underclothing and Furnishing Goods and intend importing by every steamer, New and Fashionable Goods such as the market may require, which I intend selling at prices to suit the times
Victoria, Jan. 11, 1871. W. J. JEFFREE.
ja13

NOTICE.
ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST the undersigned will please present the same for payment at the store lately occupied by me on Yates Street. All persons indebted to me will please pay on or before the 28th inst. All accounts outstanding after that date will be placed in the hands of my Solicitor for collection. LEWIS LEWIS.
TO LET—The Store adjoining, apply to Lewis Lewis.
Victoria, January 11, 1871. ja13

Canadian Oatmeal.
FELL & FINLAYSON
HAVE JUST IMPORTED 20,000 POUNDS of Fresh Canadian Oatmeal from the celebrated Rockwood Mills, Ontario The Rockwood Mills gained the First Premium at the London and Paris Exhibitions. It is fresher and superior to any Oatmeal previously imported to this colony, and will be sold at
ja12 PRICES MUCH LOWER!!

Boots! Boots! Boots!
A LARGE ASSORTMENT OF VICTORIA Manufacture at
W. HEATHORN'S
BOOT & SHOE MANUFACTORY,
Government street near the Post Office, Victoria, V. I.
BOOTS & SHOES made to order. REPAIRING done.
☞ Leather & Shoe Findings For Sale
d 16

Burns' Anniversary.
St Andrew's and Caledonian Benevolent Society's
ANNUAL BALL
Will take place at the
Alhambra Hall
On the Evening of
Wednesday, the 25th of January, 1871,
SUPPER on the table at Eight o'clock.
DANCING to commence at half-past Nine.
TICKETS admitting Lady and Gentleman including Supper, $3
Tickets may be had of any member of the Society.
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NOTICE OF REMOVAL.
Vancouver Bakery, Fort St.
GEORGE THOMSON HAVING REMOVed to his New Store, three doors east of Douglas street, thanks the inhabitants of Victoria and neighborhood for the liberal support received by him since he has been in business, and hopes by strict attention to the same and keeping a first rate article to still merit a continuance of past favors.
GENUINE BROWN BREAD,
FAMILIES waited upon daily by his Express Cart. ja7

C. FRANCIS BARNARD, M. D.
Mechanical & Surgical Dentist
GRADUATE OF HARVARD COLLEGE, MASS.

SEE SPECIMENS OF THE DR'S handiwork, both in the removal and fitting of Teeth, and in the mounting of partial or full sets, as exhibited by him in the first window north of the London House, Government street.
Patience and Gentleness are the governing principles of his office.
ROOMS AND RESIDENCE:—Douglas street, south of Fort street.
Victoria, July 26, 1870. oc27

NEW GOODS
EX "ADA" FROM LONDON
Thos. Wilson & Co.
HAVE RECEIVED
Crossly's Super Tapestry and Kidderminster Carpets;
Druggets and Drugget Squares;
Blankets, Flannels, and a general assortment of Staple Dry Goods, &c.
MASONIC HALL,
ja28 Government street, Victoria.

WHOLESALE
Dry Goods.
WE HAVE RECEIVED EX CORSAIR a full Stock of
Clothing, Blankets,
Hosiery, &c.
FOR THE WINTER TRADE.
ja27 J. H. TURNER & CO.

War amongst the Coal Heavers!
DOWNFALL OF THE CANDY MEN!!
CHRISTMAS HAMS
AT REDUCED PRICES!
Heywood's Yorkshire Style
SUGAR CURED HAMS
From and after this date, will be SOLD at
25 Cents per Pound.
Elegant fine new Streaky
BREAKFAST BACON,
And splendid NEW LARD put up in all kinds of Packages.
SMOKED TONGUES $1 per dozen.
☞ Remember Hams are only one quarter dollar per pound at the
YORKSHIRE MARKET. de20

New Advertisements.

New Goods.
Findlay, Durham & Brodie
HAVE RECEIVED
EX 'ADA,'
AND
'LADY LAMPSON,"
FROM LONDON,
Liquors:
SCOTCH WHISKY—Thorne's celebrated blend in qr cks and cs. Also Lochnagar in cs
IRISH WHISKY—Dunville's in qr cks, octaves and cs
BRANDY—Hines', equal to Hennessy, in qr cks and hhds
OLD TOM—Swaine Boord's in cs
SHERRY—In bulk and case
GINGER LIQUEUR—In cs
DEKUYPER'S GENEVA—In Green and Red cases
Oilman's Stores. Provisions. &c,
A full assortment of Crosse & Blackwell's Stores
PICKLES—
TEA—Congou in hf chests
SAGO—
Cocoa, Soap, Candles (Price & Belmont's
Sundries:
Nobles & Hoare's celebrated Varnishes
Letchford's Inks
Shot and Ball
Guns—double and single
Iron—Bar and Sheet
TIN PLATE
TWINE—Fishing, Seine and Baling
PERFUMERY—Hair Oil, Violet Powder, Windsor Soap, &c.
AND A FULL ASSORTMENT OF
Dry Goods & Blankets
Hats & Caps,
Clothing, Boots & Shoes
ja10

HENRY SHORT,
Gun and Rifle Maker,
AND IMPORTER OF
FIREARMS.
HAS ON HAND A LARGE ASSORTment of
Double and Single Barreled Fowling Pieces,
Henry's Rifles,
Single Barreled Rifles, Powder Flasks Shot Bags, Pistols, &c.
ALSO—A LARGE ASSORTMENT OF
FISHING TACKLE,
COMPRISING—Salmon Rods, Trout Fly Rods, Landing Nets, Gaffs, Extra Tips for Fly Rods, Salmon Reels, Trout Reels, Salmon Lines, Trout Fly Lines.
MINNOWS for Trout and Salmon,
SPOON BAITS of all sizes,
MORROCCO FLY BOOKS, Gut in Hanks,
TREBLE-BRACED HOOKS, Large & Small
ARTIFICIAL FLIES of all descriptions,
FISHING BASKETS all sizes,
AND A LARGE ASSORTMENT OF
CUTLERY:
The Trade Supplied at Reasonable Rates
HENRY SHORT,
ja11 3m Government St, bet. Johnson & Pandora.

Wants—Lost—Found.

WANTED.
WANTED—EMPLOYMENT AS CLERK, LABORER Plain Cook, or at any work he is capable of, by a reliable man Low wages accepted Address W P, Colonist Office no30

For Sale—To Let—To Lease.

TO BE LET
THAT FIRST CLASS RESIDENCE ON James Bay immediately fronting the bridge
For particulars apply to J G ARRIS,
ja4 1m Government street

FOR SALE—A BARGAIN.
A HARD-FINISHED HOUSE AND LOT situated on North Park street, with Large Garden and Good Well of Water. For further particulars, apply to PROMIS & SAUNDERS,
de10 Johnson street

St. George Hotel.
TO BE LET FURNISHED—THIS WELL known Family Hotel. Apply to R. BURNABY, Land Agent,
ja3 1m Government street, Victoria.

MONEY TO LOAN
AT LOW RATES, ON FIRST CLASS security.
HOUSES TO LET.
TOWN AND COUNTRY PROPERTIES for Sale or to Let.
T. ALLSOP, Agent,
y20 6m* Government street, near Broughton

GAME OF ALL KINDS
In season at,
GEORGE'S MARKET
JOHNSON STREET,
One door west of Blum & Co's Dry Goods Store, 25

New Advertisements.

LOWE, STAHLSCHMIDT & CO,
COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
Offer for Sale the following Goods,
IN BOND OR DUTY PAID.

BRANDY—Hennessy in bulk
RUM—Jamaica in bulk, 30 O. P.
WHISKY—Jamieson's Irish, in ¼-casks, 25 O. P.
Jamieson's Irish, in case
WHISKY—Scotch Camlachie, in ¼-casks
do do in case
GIN—Swaine, Boord & Co's OLD TOM, in case
Geneva, red and green case
SHERRY—Amontillado, in ¼-cks, choice
Superior Pale, various qualities
CLARET—Chateau Plagnac, J A Bonneron, in case
FLOUR—Oregon, Standard, Imperial & other brands, Graham, Middlings, Chop Feed, &c.
SUGAR—Sandwich Islands, various grades
TEA—Souchong and Challenge
OATMEAL—Canadian, in barrels, first arrival
LIME JUICE—In bulk
RAISINS—John Clemmens & Sons, boxes in layers
STEEL—Sybry, Searls & Co, Sheffield, Cast and Double Shear, assorted sizes
TWINES—Shop, Seine, Fishing Lines, etc., etc.
GUNPOWDER—Curtis's & Harvey's
PAPER—Oregon, Straw, Printing
PRINTING INK—
DRY GOODS—Merino Shirts and Pants
Neckties,
Scarfs,
Linen Drills,
Youth's Cotton Half Hose,
Linen Handkerchiefs,
Hickory Shirts
do Stripes, in Piece
Etc. Etc. Etc.

No. 4 Commercial Row, Wharf street,
VICTORIA, B. C.

THE UNION INSURANCE COMPANY
of San Francisco.
MARINE.
Individual Liability, Capital Stock $750,000
For Insuring Merchandise, Treasure, Commissions, Profits, &c.
For Information, Rates of Premium, &c. Apply to
Lowe, Stahlschmidt & Co,
AGENTS, WHARF STREET.

K. McKENZIE'S
Craigflower Bakery,
CABIN BREAD,
PILOT BREAD,
NAVY BREAD,
SODA CRACKERS,
&c., &c. &c.
All kinds of the above baked to order and packed as required
Always on hand, for sale in lots to suit by
LOWE, STAHLSCHMIDT & CO.,
Agents.

KIRKMAN'S PIANOS.
EX "ADA," FROM LONDON,
For sale by
LOWE, STAHLSCHMIDT & CO.

SADDLERY
HENRY BRACE & CO. (LIMITED.)
Of Walsall, Staffordshire,
GREAT BRITAIN.
WHOLESALE SADDLERS' IRONMONGERS
Manufacturers of all kinds of Harness, Whips and Horse Appointments
Orders for the above will be filled on favorable terms by
LOWE, STAHLSCHMIDT & CO.,
ja16 Agents.

SALTED SALMON
IN BARRELS AND HALF BARRELS.
BELLIES IN HALF BARRELS.
CURED BY
Alexander Ewen & Co.,
NEW WESTMINSTER.
Agents for the above,
LOWE, STAHLSCHMIDT & CO.

WILLAMETTE
Woollen Manufacturing Company,
Of Salem, Oregon.
Cassimeres,
Tweed,
Shirtings,
Flannels,
BLANKETS—White, Grey, Vicunia, Scarlet, Blue, Green } Assorted Sizes
SOCKS—White and Grey.
For sale to the Trade in lots to suit by
LOWE, STAHLSCHMIDT & CO.
Agents.

BUENA VISTA
Vinicultural Society,
SONOMA, CALIFORNIA.
Red Wine
White Wine
White Wine in Hock bottles
SPARKLING
National Grape—Pale
do —Rose Cremant
For sale by
LOWE, STAHLSCHMIDT & CO.
Agents.

Victoria Nursery & Seed Establishment.
MITCHELL & JOHNSTON
Have just Received from England, in Fine Condition, a Splendid Assortment of
DUTCH BULBS
Including HYACINTHE, TULIPS, CROCUS, NARCISSUS, JONQUILS, RANUNCULUS, ANEMONES, IRIS, SNOWDROPS, &c, &c.
M. & J. have just completed their STOCKS of
FARM AND GARDEN SEEDS
And which this year are UNUSUALLY FINE—their ANNUAL CATALOGUE of which is now ready for Distribution.
At their NURSERY they have FINE STOCKS of FRUIT AND ORNAMENTAL TREES, SHRUBS, ROSES, &c. GREENHOUSE AND HARDY FLOWERS, &c., to which they would invite the Attention of Buyers.
☞ To arrive ail, several Works on Practical Farming and Gardening, by well known Practical Men.
Occidental Buildings, Fort Street, Victoria.
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RED HOUSE
GROCERY STORE
YATES STREET
WILLIAM GIBSON TAKES PLEASURE in announcing that he has opened the above old established Store with a well selected stock of
GROCERIES and PROVISIONS,
He will constantly keep on hand the best articles in his branch of trade and hopes by strict attention to business to merit a share of public patronage
☞ Goods delivered Free of Charge. ja10

POCKET AND OFFICE
DIARIES FOR 1871.
ILLUSTRATED AND OTHER ALMANACS for 1871!
de15 3m T. N. HIBBEN & CO

THE GO-AHEAD PRINCIPLE.
SMALL PROFITS & QUICK SALES!
J. MOSS,
(LATE OF THE WILLOWS, CADBORO BAY.)
BEGS TO INFORM HIS NUMEROUS friends and the public generally that he has re-opened the New Store, Fort street, lately occupied by H Waller. He will have constantly on hand the finest assortment of Candies, Confectionery, Fruits, Tobacco, Pipes and Havana Cigars, Cut Tobacco by the pound, which he will sell as cheap as anyone on the coast.
N B.—Fresh arrivals of Fruit by every steamer ja12

A. CARD.
HAVING LEARNED THAT CERTAIN interested parties are spreading the report that Barnard's Express and Stage Line will not continue to be run regularly to Cariboo as heretofore, I beg to state that not only will that business be continued in all its past efficiency, but that arrangements are nearly matured for greatly reducing the rate of charges and increasing the efficiency of the service, as soon as the Spring opens.
ja18 d&w F. J. BARNARD.

THE BRITISH COLONIST.

Friday Morning, Jan 20, 1871.

Shipping Intelligence.

PORT OF VICTORIA, BRITISH COLUMBIA.

ENTERED

Jan 19—Slp Alarm, Dwyer, San Juan.
Str Emily Harris, McIntosh, Nanaimo.

CLEARED.

Jan 19—None

MAINLAND ITEMS.—A public meeting was held at Lillooet on the 5th. Resolutions in favor of Responsible Government were passed.....The stock of flour at Lillooet was estimated at between 600.000 and 700.000 lbs. It is selling at 5 cts, and large quantities are being shipped down the river to Lytton.... A farmer named Carson was seriously injured while descending the steep bank of the river with a waggon.....At Lytton the weather was very cold. A public meeting was held there and resolutions passed in favor of Responsible Government; also, asking for a trail to be constructed to Lillooet. These resolutions have been forwarded to Mr Cornwall, member for the District.... The weather at Clinton was very cold, the thermometer marking 22° below zero.... Travel was somewhat impeded by snowslides on the road between Yale and Boston Bar. In one place part of the roadway was broken away. The last express met with considerable difficulty in coming down. After shovelling away at the snow for some time, the passengers abandoned the stage about 18 miles above Yale and walked the rest of the way.....It is feared that stock may suffer from the unusual depth of snow. It had fallen to a depth of five feet between Yale and Harrisonmouth....The last express met with much difficulty going up between New Westminster and Yale, encountering float ice. It only reached a point 15 miles below Harrisonmouth on Saturday.

LOWER FRASER ITEMS.—It is rumored at New Westminster that General (better known as Colonel) Moody, R E, is coming out with two of his sons for the purpose of establishing them in the farming and stock-raising business.....The Omineca petition received 148 signatures at New Westminster and 11 at Burrard Inlet....Mr Peele was married to Miss Pitts by Archdeacon Woods at Sapperton Church, on Saturday. There had been a heavy fall of snow at New Westminster, Woodcock's old distillery gave way under the weight thereof.....The amount of land purchased, leased and pre-empted in the New Westminster district during last year exceeds that under similar circumstances in any other portion of the colony....The Hyack Ball comes off this (Friday) evening.....The late rain and snow-fall have occasioned an unprecedented freshet at Sumass.....Steps are being taken with a view to the establishment of an Odd Fellows Lodge at New Westminster.....At a meeting of the New Westminster City Council it was resolved to apply for the use of the chaingang to construct water tanks.

SAD RUMOR.—By passengers who came down on the Enterprise it is reported that Mr Johnson, the Cariboo mail contractor, is lost. He left New Westminster for Yale in a canoe a week ago last Monday with an Indian and two squaws, reached Sea Bird Bar and from there took the land route. The snow was some four or five feet deep. The Indian succeeded in getting as far as Hicks' Ranch and reported that Johnson and the others were behind. Hicks went out to search for them, and not having since been heard from is supposed also to be lost. One of the Indian women was subsequently found dead in the snow. Humphreys and his party saw the boat that Johnson left in adrift in the river. At New Westminster it is not believed that Johnson is dead, but that he probably succeeded in reaching Thompson's or some other ranch on the river.

PUGET SOUND ITEMS.—A man named Jas. Wilson entered the dwelling house of Mr Dennis, of Seattle, on Sunday night and carried off a number of valuable articles. He was arrested.....The Seattle Coal Company have completed their wharf to such an extent as to allow of vessels taking in coal from their shute. The Alida obtained a full supply on Wednesday. The company are now prepared to supply the Sound steamers .....The lecture delivered in the Presbyterian Church, Olympia, on Tuesday evening by Governor Salomon, was largely attended and was listened to with very great interest His subject was the Franco-Prussian war One noticeable feature of the occasion was that two felons confined in Olympia jail were escorted to the church by the obliging Sheriff, and 'took a back seat.' The conduct of the Sheriff is very severely censured by the local press.

SEMI-WEEKLY COMMUNICATION WITH THE SOUND.—Mr Nathan'a resolution for semi-weekly communication with the Sound will come up on Monday next. The people of the colony are peculiarly interested in the maintenance of frequent communicaiion with the American side, and the question is one that should not be lightly dealt with or treated as a sectional matter. The additional traffic that may be created thereby is an important item, but the convenience of a semi weekly mail service is equally important and is felt and acknowledged by the colony as a whole. The sum asked per trip for the service is trifling when compared with the advantages we shall secure.

EXPORTATIONS.—The Hudson Bay Company's wharf presents a scene of activity to which it has long been a stranger—at least so far as the exportation of natural products is concerned. The bark Lady Lampson, lying there, is receiving large quantities of oil shipped for London by the Company, and by the Dawson-Douglas and Howe Sound Whaling Companies. After taking in oil here, the Lady Lampson will be towed round to Esquimalt and will there fill up with oil and furs for the Company. It is expected that this cargo will be one of the largest if not the most valuable exported from the colony.

ARRIVAL OF THE ENTERPRISE.—The stmr Enterprise, Capt Swanson, arrived yesterday afternoon from New Westmenster with the following passengers: J Newland, T B Humphreys E Brown, G Sandover, S Pitts E Picht, R Hovey, — Chadwick, D McNeil, M Camenzo, J Milligan.

CELESTIAL COLLIERS.—It is reported that Chinamen have been engaged to work in the coal mines at Nanaimo and that the ship Shooting Star will bring up an "invoice" of 100 on her next trip.

ROGUE AND VAGABOND.—An unfortunate man whose besetting sin is a fondness for strong drink, was yesterday brought before Mr Pemberton charged with being a rogue and a vagabond. The wretched man is an engineer by profession and formerly occupied a good position in society; but, step by step, he has fallen until, destitute of friends and home, he was discovered by officer McCarthy, on one of the coldest of the late cold nights, in the Union Truck House half frozen to death. He gave excellent references as to character, but the Police Magistrate and his friends thought that a month's imprisonment would have a salutary effect upon him and he was accordingly locked up for that period.

FRIENDLY SOCIETIES.—Application will be made to the present Council for an Act to incorporate the Benevolent Societies of this colony. It is expected the Masons' Odd Fellows, Sisters of St Ann, St Andrew's and Caledonian and other beneficial institutions would avail themselves of the provisions of a General Act to extend their usefulness and importance by enabling them to hold real estate, collect dues, etc. No opposition is anticipated to the measure in the Council.

DOUBLE CHARGE.—Peter Welch was charged before the Police Magistrate yesterday with having cut one G Lamont in the face with a knife. The two men were in a cabin and quarreled, whereupon the light was extinguished and Lamont received a blow in the face with a knife or some other sharp instrument. He was not hurt much, however, and Peter was sent to the chaingang for only two months....Peter Welch was also charged with being a deserter from the bark Ada, and was remanded one week for further examination.

THE passage of the Confederation Terms has had a very marked and favorable effect upon the community. There are no noisy outcroppings of enthusiastic feeling; but everyone seems gratified with the result and prophecies a long and prosperous career for the colony under the liberal rule of Canada are everywhere heard.

THE GRAVING DOCK.—Mr Nathan has given notice of his intention to move an address to the Dominion Government asking that the guarantee for a dry dock may be extended to a period of twenty-five years, if found necessary to insure the immediate construction of the dock. Mr Nathan deserves the thanks of the colony for his indefatigable efforts to place that important work beyond all possible doubt.

FROM NANAIMO.—The steamer Sir Jas Douglas, Capt Clarke, arrived from Nanaimo at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon, bringing a few passengers, 20 hogs and six head of young stock. The passage down was unpleasant. The schooner W Harrison, laden with stone, lay in Departure Bay, the schooner Ocean Pearl was loading at the quarry, and the bark Atlanta was towed out by the Douglas on Wednesday.

OMINECA.—Previous news already published is receiving confirmation from every quarter. A party of 15 Chinamen took out $7000 in three weeks. It is generally believed that a large number of Chinamen will go to Omineca next season. Indeed it is thought there will be a very general stampede of both Asiatics and Europeans.

SKEENA TRADE.—Messrs Cunningham and Hankin, old residents of Skeena river, will forward by the Otter a large stock of general merchandise for the store they have established there. In their card, published this morning, they offer inducements to miners and others bound for Omineca. Further information can be obtained from Capt Nagle.

SUDDEN DEATH.—O W Olney, well known at Victoria and Cariboo, died suddenly at Bellingham Bay, a few days ago, of apoplexy. Deceased was an American and deserted from his ship some twenty years ago in a whaleboat with several companions. They were taken prisoners by the Hydah Indians and held as slaves until bought by Sir Jas Douglas, then Chief Factor of the Hudson Bay Company.

FOR THE SKEENA.—The Hudson Bay Company's good steamer Otter will leave the Company's wharf on or about the 1st proximo for Skeenamouth. Intending passengers and shippers are requested to apply to Capt Lewis on board.

TELEGRAPHIC.—The line south of Yreka, California, continued down yesterday, the cause of which is explained in a short dispatch published elsewhere. The Mainland line, however, was at work and a short dispatch was got through.

GOOD YIELD.—A private telegram was received from Quesnelmouth last night, in which it was stated that the Spruce company on Lightning Creek washed up 85oz for the week ending on the 8th inst.

THE Deputation of the City Council, appointed to wait on His Excellency the Governor with reference to School matters, were granted an interview yesterday and it is understood that a solution of the great educational difficulties was arrived at.

CANADIAN GOODS.—Some of our largest importing firms have made arrangements for the importation of Canadian Goods, to arrive immediately upon the proclamation of Union.

MR T B HUMPHREYS, member of the Legislature for Lillooet District, arrived last evening and will take his seat to-day. He looks rather the worse for wear but is slowly regaining strength.

ACCIDENT TO THE S.S. PELICAN.—The N. P.T. Co.'s steamer Pelican on her passage from San Francisco to Eureka, struck on a rock near San Francisco and was towed back to port.

THE steamer Isabel, Capt Starr, arrived from Port Townsend last evening at 8.30, She brought a few passengers and will sail for Port Townsend at 7 o'clock this morning. Purser Parker has our thanks for the customary favors.

IT is rumored that the property of the Queen Charlotte Coal Mining Company will soon be brought under the hammer.

DYING FRUIT TREES.—A capital letter from a valued correspondent on the subject of the decay of apple and cherry trees, appears in this issue. The writer points out what he conceives to be the true cause of the disease and offers what a appear to be valuable hints for the treatment of the trees.

DR. REAM has reached Portland. He is sick, poor and miserable. Thus does sin bring its own reward.

THE stmr Emily Harris arrived from Nanaimo yesterday morning with coal for Capt Frain.

THE Legislative Council will meet at 1 o'clock to-day.

THE steamer California will sail from Portland for Victoria this evening.

By Electric Telegraph,

SPECIAL TO THE DAILY BRITISH COLONIST.

LAST NIGHT'S DISPATCHES.

British Columbia.

QUESNELLE, Jan 19—Weather cloudy and snowing—thermometer 12° below zero, and the river frozen over.

Miners from Blackfoot and Boise arrived here to-day, en route to Germansen creek.

SODA CREEK, Jan 19—Weather report:—Jan 1st--max 50°, min 16°. 2nd—max 58°, min 14°. 3rd—max 57°, min 22°. 4th—max 50, min 4. 5th—max 55, min 6. 6th—max 40, min -4. 7th—max 32, min 12. 8th—max 18, min -2, snowing slightly. 10th—max 10 min 2, snowing. (This is the lowest temperature observed during four years when snow was falling.) 11th—max 20, min -28, 12th—max 8, min -21. 13th—max 20, min 28. 15th—max 4, min -32. 16th—max 6, min -26. 17th—max 0, min -23. 18th—max 10, min -4.

California.

YREKA, Jan 19—A storm of rain and snow prevailed throughout California yesterday, and about noon telegraphic communication was interrupted on Trinity Mountain. The storm continued during last night with a high wind, causing several additional breaks The line will probably be working through in the morning.

Oregon.

PORTLAND, Jan 19—Very stormy all day yesterday and last night.

The Monticello boats are taking large quantities of goods every day to Helena.

There is but one ship at present in the harbor, the Fenax Propsit, and she is chartered to take a cargo of wheat to Liverpool. The harbor has not been so bare of shipping for a long time.

A daughter of Mr John Bowman, who lives near the corner of 2nd and Harrison streets has been attacked with a virulent type of small pox and doubts of her recovery are entertained.

The bark Gunger, which sailed yesterday for Liverpool, carried a cargo of wheat valued at $29,409.

The propeller California leaves for Victoria to-morrow evening.

British Columbia under Confederation.

WHAT THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT HAS TO PROVIDE FOR.

Governor	$ 2,052 00
Legislative Council	900 00
Colonial Secretary	13,104 00
Treasurer	4,802 00
Lands and Works	10,878 00
Registrar General	2,425 00
Attorney General	4,888 00
Police and Gaols	26,318 75
Registrars and Messengers Supreme Court	4,380 00
High Sheriff	1,500 00
Magistrates	40,251 50
Charitable Allowances	10,500 00
Education	15,000 00
Rent	264 50
Transport	3,250 00
Administration of Justice	1,900 00
Works and Buildings	23,650 00
Roads, &c	54,550 00
Micellaneous Services	15,360 00
Drawbacks, &c.,	100 00
What Local Gov't has to pay for	$236,073 75

CHARGES OF WHICH THE DOMINION GOVERNMENT RELIEVES US.

Governor	$ 19,400 00
Customs	16,972 50
Auditor	4,377 00
Judicial	10,670 00
Pensions	2,425 00
Postal	3,200 00
Revenue Services	1,000 00
Lighthouses	9,370 00
Administration of Justice	2,000 00
Sinking Fund	50,407 50
Conveyance of Mails	36,549 96
Interest on Debt	103,440 00
Government Vessels	12,800 00
Miscellaneous	7,900 00
Drawbacks	2,000 00
Total	$282,301 96

REVENUE THE DOMINION WILL TAKE.

Customs, Port and Harbor Dues	$ 320,000 00
Excise Duties	3,500 00
Postage	14,000 00
Fees of Supreme Court	1,000 00
Reimbursements in aid of the Douglas	25,000 00
Dominion takes	363,500 00
Local Revenue for B. C. for 1871	533,950 00
Local Revenue left	170,450 00

SUBSIDIES BY THE DOMINION GOVERNMENT.

80 cents per head on 60,000 inhabitants	$48,000 00
Subsidy	35,000 00
Interest on difference of debt at 5 per cent	29,908 00
Railroad Land—Annual Allowance	100,000 00
	$212,908 00

British Columbia Revenue left us by Dominion	170,450 00
Subsidies by Dominion	212,908 00
Total Revenue	383,358 00
B. C. Government has only to provide	236,073 00
Balance in favor of British Columbia	$147,285 00

RECAPITULATION.

Revenue of British Columbia for 1871	$533 950 00
Canada takes of B. C. Revenue	363,500 00
British Columbia Revenue left	170,450 00
Subsidies given by Canada	212,908 00
B. C, Revenue new stands	383,358 00
Expenses of Local Government	236,073 00
Balance	$147,285 00

The debt of the Colony on 1st July, 1871, will amount (approximately) to $1,068,040 00.

A. GILMORE, MERCHANT TAILOR, and General Outfitter, has removed his place of business to the store adjoining the Colonial Hote and opposite the Colonist Office, on Government street, fourth door from Yates, where he proposes to give his old friends and new customers a chance on the principle of quick sales and small profits. *

Apple and Cherry Trees.

EDITOR BRITISH COLONIST:—Your question concerning the decay of these trees does not admit of a simple answer, because it is owing to various causes. One principal cause is bad planting. If trees are planted in holes just large enough to cram in the roots how can such trees thrive? more especially if the ground has not been well and deeply tilled. And oftentimes the subsoil is either dry soil or, what is worse, of a nature approaching concrete, and not even loosened at planting time. Such a tree, if not too large, may appear healthy for a time, if the soil thrown into the hole was good and rich, but it cannot be expected to remain so. I believe in nine failures out of ten in the settlements on the Island this has been the cause; the land in some cases has been ploughed four or five inches deep and in others not ploughed at all before planting. Again, how many cultivators are there who allow weeds and grass to grow even into the branches of the trees so planted, and never think of keeping the soil mellow and rich about them and occasionally enriching the ground with manure. And if they pretend to cultivate about them at all, it is generally after the following fashion: About March or April, when the ground is a perfect sward with sorrel and other weeds, they take a spade and dig a good spade deep about the tree, four or five feet in diameter, burying the weeds and flattering themselves that they are doing a good job, apparently never thinking that they are doing as much harm as good by chopping and destroying all the surface roots. Then again, the state of the drainage in most places is miserably bad, and if a hole is dug and the tree not planted at once it fills with water and would remain so about two months in ordinary winters. Now suppose the tree planted as soon as the hole is dug, or planted after the water has been thrown out, that tree is standing in stagnant water, although it may not appear so on the surface. The consequence is the roots become diseased, the tree is not supplied with healthy sap, the stem and branches become cankered and unless the cause is removed the tree will linger, decay and eventually die. Besides, such land is as miserably dry in summer as wet in winter for want of *deep drainage* and *deep tillage* to keep it porous to allow the moisture to ascend.

Now, that astonishing productiveness you mention is really a sign of disease—nature, finding it impossible to struggle on for any length of time, makes an extraordinary effort to reproduce itself by seed.

Your other remark about grafting is natural, too. How can a diseased stock produce a healthy tree?

These foregoing remarks apply to apple, pear, plum and cherry trees alike, although in an unequal degree. But, say you, how do you account for the fact of apples and cherries decaying, while pears and plums are healthy on the same ground?

I reply that the disproportion between apples and pears is perhaps not so great as you think, if you consider that apples planted are perhaps as much as five to one as against pears, and as the roots of pears are naturally deeper and do not extend so far as apples, they are consequently, less liable to injury, and in very dry summers have better command of the moisture.

As to cherries, they do appear to be as liable to disease in one form, as you say:—gum. In many cases it arises from excessive vigor, in which the sap is formed more rapidly than the circulatory vessels can convey it away, and is generally caused by too rich soil. The remedy in such a case would be root-pruning and mixing with less rich soil. Or, it may arise from a local contraction of the sap-vessels, and if so there will a swelling of the bark just above the discharge. In that case score the bark along the branches nearly through the outer bark. If that does not stop it, reduce the branches

But gum is often caused by excessive heat attended with dryness of the soil at the same time, and perhaps that is the worst form. In that case salt applied to the land in March or April would be good.

For fear of wearying yourself and readers I will conclude, although much more might be said—as for instance some kinds of cherries are more liable to gum than others, and some kinds of apples are always under the same circumstances more liable to canker than other kinds. G

THE New York *Herald* of the 14th says:—General Butler appears to be marshalling his clans against the Canadian enemies and rivals of his cod-fisheries constituents. He presented in the House a petition of the Gloucester fisherman, asking Congress to adopt various retaliatory measures to punish the Canadians for interfering with American fishermen. We doubt whether any hostile legislation or action on our part, even in the cause of the Gloucester fishermen, would be proof either of good statesmanship or kind, neighbourly feeling. If our fishermen have serious cause for complaint against Canadian officials it may be remedied by the usual diplomatic means of remonstrance and negotiation, without bluster of assuming a belligerent attitude.

In the preamble to the treaty between the North-German Confederation and Bavaria, it is stated that the new Confederation is to be called the German Confederation (der Deutsche Bund), and that its purpose is to secure the inviolability of German territory, and to secure the development of German right, and to promote the welfare of the German people.

THE PROCLIVITIES FOR SENSATION—It is astonishing that in this modern, and supposed to be more refined age, that a custom still exists which originated in the Fifteenth Century from an accidental circumstance of Maids and Bachelors amusing themselves on the 14th of February, by drawing lottery-wise, a name to be taken seriously or in joke to represent their future wives or husbands. This custom modernized, exhibits the same tendency, in the form of Valentines. Some chaste in appearance and sentiment, and others grotesque and calculated to please or offend. T. N. Hibben & Co. are prepared for the coming St. Valentine's Day in the modern and most pleasing form. *

AUTUMN AND WINTER.—The study of the seasons is ever interesting and amply repays the student who now learns that A B Gray, Government street, has just received a large stock of Fall Goods, comprising Winceys, Serges, Plaids, French Merinos, Waterproof Tweeds, Astracan Cloth, Alpacas, Flannels, Blankets, Sheetings, Ladies' and Children's Jackets, Shawls, Hosiery, Silk Umbrellas, Hats, Feathers, Flowers, Ribbons, &c, &c, together with a choice selection of Fancy Small Wares suitable for the present season.—GOVERNMENT STREET, December, 1870. *

Reasons for Discontinuing the Bible Revision.

Dr Judd has withdrawn from the Old Testament Revision Commission in England. He thus explains the reason why he has taken this step:

My original objections, on more than one ground, to the scheme, have returned with augmented force. These objections I expressed in the Convocation of Canterbury. The very act of examining Holy Scripture critically, for the purpose of this revision, made me feel more than ever convinced, in the first place, that nothing but a case of the most extreme necessity ought to urge the change of words and expressions which have become intimately connected with the worship and holiest associations of the people of this realm, and, indeed, of a great majority of English-speaking Christians—that to disturb this would be most calamitous and dangerous—and that in an age like ours the change would be but the prelude to great unsettlement and to the encouragement of hypocritical and irreverent handling of the Word of God. And in the next place, that the measure is not one of necessity.

I have been a student of the original languages of Holy Scripture for the greater part of my life, and the conviction that I have long held, is that our version is the most perfect ever known in the Church of God, has been confirmed by the more special studies induced by the present scheme. Besides this I am fully persuaded that this most religious work ought not to have been committed by Convocation to any but members of the Church of England, and, according to the almost invariable precedents of past time, to her ordained ministers—those to whom the keeping and interpretation of God's Word is specially entrusted, according to the will, as I firmly believe, of Christ himself.

Even, however, if this consideration had not existed in my mind, a very serious ground of objection would be sufficient to sway me, and that is the unhappy circumstances attendant upon the celebration of the Holy Communion in Westminister Abbey, which many of the Revising Companies attended. And when the most holy mysteries of our religion were approached by one who did not believe in the divinity of their institution—and this on the apparent ground that all the revisers stood on an equal footing in the discharge of a very sacred function.

The subsequent explanations of this most latitudinarian convention of the godly discipline of the Church but made the matter worse. And now I perceive, with great grief and alarm, the fulfilment of that which I apprehended from the beginning—that is, the establishment of a virtual equality, in the prosecution of a matter so very sacred, between the members of our Church and those extern to her communion. It seems to be in effect declared that her maintenance of true Catholic doctrine, by which I mean the faith once delivered to the saints, has no necessary connection with sacred philology, which is an essential element of exegesis. And the province of Canterbury, at least, is placed in that very hazardous condition of having the interpretation of the Holy Scripture left to the mercy of majorities, in these newly constituted boards.

I can hardly hope for God's blessing upon the adoption of a version, should that ever come to a completion, constituted upon principles so repugnant to the ancient methods of the Church. It was in deference to the judgment of the Convocation of this province that I unwillingly consented to be placed upon the committee appointed upon its sanction. But now I am fully pursuaded that there is a duty I owe to my conscience, paramount to any such feeling of deference, and which I trust you will believe is consistent with all feelings of respect towards those able and learned men whose society in this undertaking my sense of obligation to the Church and to my God compel me to forego.

CHRISTMAS, 1870.—The show of fancy goods for the season will commence on Saturday next, the 17th inst, at London House, Government street. *

FELL'S COFFEE, superior to any other and manufactured on the Coast, may obtained of all respectable dealers throughout the Colony.

BOARD AND LODGING.—Gentlemen can be accommodated with Board or Lodging or both, with the comforts of an English home at a private residence. Address, Mrs Bushell, Kane street, next door to Dr Bellamy's private residence *

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11 d&w Government street, Victoria

A CARD.

EDITOR COLONIST:—A CORRESPONDENT in The Standard of the 7th instant is mistaken in his information. It was W H KAY and not the Tott Collector who offered me Fifty Dollars for my vote, and it is simply false that Mr Hughes endeavored to control my vote JACOB MUNDORF.

Bonaparte, 29th Dec, 1870. a5 d&w

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LUMLEY FRANKLIN,
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GENERAL ABSTRACT

showing the average amount of LIABILITIES and ASSETS of the Bank of British Columbia, within the Colony of British Columbia, and its dependencies, taken from the several Weekly Statements for the Quarter ending 31st Dec, 1870.

LIABILITIES			ASSETS	
Notes in Circulation		$142,275 00	Legal Tender Coin in Gold and Silver	$122 913 04
Balances due to other Banks and Branches		20,146 99	Gold and Silver Bullion	67 033 41
Deposits not bearing Interest	$119,224 94		Landed and other Property	51,838 05
Deposits bearing Interest	51,969 57	171,194 51	Balances due from other Banks and Branches	152,373 90
			All debts due to the Bank, including Notes, Bills of Exchange and all Stock and Funded Debts of every description, excepting Notes, Bills, and Balances due from other Banks and Branches	346,391 99
Total amount of Liabilities		$333,616 50	Total amount of Assets	$740 580 39

Amount of Capital Stock paid up at the close of the Quarter ending 31st Dec., 1870..........$1,490,000
Rate of last Dividend declared to the Shareholders..........5 ℔ cent ℔ annum
Amount of last Dividend declared..........$37,250 00
Amount of reserved profit at time of declaring such dividend..........$36,952 75

(Signed) WM. C. WARD, Manager,
CHAS. S. JONES, Accountant.

VICTORIA, B. C., 31st Dec., 1870.

I, William Curtis Ward, do hereby declare that to the best of my knowledge and belief the foregoing Statement is a true and faithful account of the average amount of the Assets and Liabilities within this Colony, of the Bank, during the period specified, and that the same was made up from the weekly statements thereof, kept in pursuance of the provisions of "The Banking Act, 1864."

WM. C. WARD, Manager.

Declared before me at Victoria, B. C., this 4th day of Jan., 1871.
(Signed) A. F. PEMBERTON, S. M.
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Schedule B.

GENERAL ABSTRACT Shewing the average amount of the Liabilities and Assets within the Colony o British Columbia, of the Bank of British North America, taken from the usual Weekly Statements during the Quarter from 30th Sept'r to 31st Dec., 1870

LIABILITIES.	AM'T.	TOTALS.	ASSETS	AM'T.	TOTALS.
Notes in circulation, not bearing interest		$118,305 00	Legal Tender Coin, in Gold and Silver		$149,162 92
Notes in circulation, bearing interest			Gold and Silver, in Bullion		23,759 28
Bills in circulation, not bearing interest			Landed and other Property		27,223 00
Bills in circulation, bearing interest			Notes and Bills of other Banks		2,940 24
Balances due to other Banks and Branches		27,870 43	Balances due from other Banks and Branches		306,767 55
Deposits, not bearing interest	$255,994 79		Amount of all Debts due to the Bank, including Notes, Bills of Exchange, and all Stock and Funded Debts of every description, excepting Notes, Bills and Balances due from other Banks and Branches		$ 73,678 12
Deposits, bearing interest	176,912 00	432,906 79			
Total amount of liabilities		$579,082 22	Total amount of assets		$583,531 11

Amount of the Capital Stock paid up at the close of the quarter ending 31st of Dec'er, 1870..........$5,000,000 00
Rate of the last Dividend declared to the Shareholders..........7 ℔ ct ℔ an
Amount of the last Dividend declared..........$150,000 00
Amount of the Reserved Profits at the time of declaring such dividend..........743,896 08

Signed HENRY A TUZO, Manager.
ROBERT BURRELL, Accountant.

Victoria, B. C., 31st Dec'er, 1870.

I, Henry Atkinson Tuzo, do hereby declare that to the best of my knowledge and belief, the foregoing abstract is a true and faithful account of the average amount of Assets and Liabilities within this Colony of the above Bank, during the period specified, and that the same was made up from the Weekly Statements thereof, kept in pursuance of the provisions of the "Banking Act, 1864."

(Signed) HENRY A TUZO, Manager.

Declared before me at Victoria, this 4th day of Jan., 1870.
ja5 (Signed) A. F. PEMBERTON, S. M.

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2. While your clothes are soaking put the half of your cut soap into your boiler, with sufficient clean water to boil, and let it be heating. After your clothes have soaked wring them out well and put into your boiling water, and let boil from 5 to 10 minutes, then rinse, blue and hang out to dry. If the above directions are followed, we will guarantee your clothes clean and white.

3. For your colored and woollen clothes use the same water you soaked and boiled your white clothes with, only heating it up again, and pour it over your colored and woollen clothes, and let soak the same as your white clothes, also rubbing them through your hands while soaking it very dirty. Then rinse in clean water warm as your hands will bear, and you will thus accomplish a large washing in two hours.

By cutting up a bar of this soap into two gallons water, and let boil until thoroughly dissolved, and then leave to cool, you will have two gallons of beautiful SOFT SOAP as good as Common Soap for general house purposes.

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FAIRFIELD TERRACE, TOP OF FORT ST.

Will re-open on MONDAY, January 9th. next.
dec25 1mis.

LAKE SCHOOL DISTRICT.

THE SCHOOL TAX FOR 1871 IS NOW due and payable to the undersigned

GEORGE LINDSAY,
Treasurer of the Local Board.

January 31, 1871. ja4

SAVE YOUR MONEY

AND

HEALTH,

By Buying Your Candies of

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THE LIBERAL PATRONAGE OF A generous public has enabled me to still further

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PLAIN CANDIES, SUCH AS

Sticks, Drops, Barley Sugar and Acidulated Drops, 37 1-2cts per lb

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SUGAR TOYS, all of my own make, at the Lowest prices.

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DR. CHING FUN—A CARD—EDITOR BRITISH COLONIST:—Through the medium of your paper I want to state the very great good that has been done me by Dr Ching Fun of this city, next door to Kwong, Lee & Co For 24 years I suffered with neuralgia on the brain, which baffled the sk ll of three firstclass American physicians Latterly bronchitis attacked my right lung, and my eyes became awfully inflamed. Despairing of ever being cured I placed myself as a last resort in the hands of Dr Ching Fun, and after five months treatment I am a well man and feel that I cannot sound the eminent Chinese gentleman's praises too loudly, so that all my countrymen similarly affected may visit him and find relief Respectfully,

JOHN HENTON, of Kentucky, US

Victoria, 3d August, 1869 ja4

JOSEPH GRAHAM,

Rent and Debt Collector and General Agent,

BROAD STREET, three doors from London Hotel.
de20

ROYAL HOSPITAL

MR JOHN G. NORRIS HAS KINDLY consented, and is hereby authorized, to collect subscriptions and donations for the Royal Hospital.

E. CRIDGE,
Hon'y Sec'ty.

December 12th, 1870

Notices.

NOTICE,

TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT James Cooper, by Deed bearing date the 20th day of September, 1870, conveyed and assigned his Dwelling House and Premises situated at James Bay, Victoria, and all his Furniture and other Goods, Chattels and Effects therein, unto Thomas Lett Stahlschmidt, as security for payment of certain monies in the said Deed mentioned; and that the said Thomas Lett Stahlschmidt has taken possession of the properties comprised in the said Deed.

DRAKE, JACKSON & AIKMAN,
Solicitors for T L Stahlschmidt.

Victoria, Dec 17, 1870. de18

In the Supreme Court of British Columbia, in Bankruptcy.

In the matter of the Estate of John Goodacre, a Bankrupt.

WEDNESDAY, 21st of December, 1870

THE BANKRUPT HAVING THIS DAY passed his second examination before His Lordship the Chief Justice, will come up on his application for his Certificate on Wednesday the 18th day of January n xt, at 12 o'clock noon

ROBERT BISHOP,
de27 Solicitor to the Trade Assignee.

NOTICE

FROM AND AFTER THIS DATE I will only accept COIN for RENTS as Well as other payments to be made to me.

no30 L. LOWENBERG

Royal Hospital.

SUBSCRIBERS TO THE ROYAL HOSPITAL are respectfully informed that their Annual Donations are now due and will be thankfully received by

A. F. PEMBERTON,
de4 Treasurer.

$100 REWARD.

WILL BE PAID FOR THE ARREST and conviction of the party or parties who set fire to a stack of wood belonging to the undersigned on Monday night last on the Burnside road.

M ROWLAND.

Burnside Farm, 27th Dec., 1870. de28

A CARD.

THE UNDERSIGNED RETIRES FROM the Coal and Wood business from this date.

All persons indebted to him will please settle their accounts forthwith.

JOHN KRIEMLER.

Victoria, Dec 21st, 1870. de22 1m

MR. HELMCKEN

MAY BE CONSULTED AT HIS OFFICE Victoria between the hours of 9 and 12 in the morning, or at his residence, James Bay, in the evening.

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French Benevolent Society.

A PREPARATORY MEETING OF THE above Society will be held at the Colonial Hotel on Sunday, the 15th day of January, 1871, at 2 o'clock p.m.

The object of the meeting is to hear the Reports of the Treasurer and Secretary, and also to introduce any amendments which may be brought forward in the interests of the Society.

The General Meeting for the Election of the Committee will be held on Sunday, the 29th day of January, 1871, at the Colonial, from 2 to 4 o'clock.

a7 HONORE PASSERARD, Secretary.

NOTICE.

THE BUSINESS HERETOFORE CARried on by WM DALBY, Government st, on and after the 1st day of January 1870, will be carried on under the name of

DALBY, WILSON & CO.

All claims against Wm Dalby must be presented for payment before the 10th of January, and all amounts due to Wm Dalby not paid by that time will be placed in the hands of our Solicitor for collection

DALBY, WILSON & CO.

Victoria, B.C., January 3d, 1871 ja4

NOTICE.

A VACANCY WILL OCCUR IN THE office of LIBRARIAN to the Mechanic's Institute at the end of January Candidates are requested to send in applications to EDWIN JOHNSON, Esq, Honorary Secretary, who will also give information as to the duties of the office.

Victoria, 4th January, 1870 ja5

PUBLIC NOTICE,

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the Crown Grants of Surveyed Lands in the former Colony of Vancouver Island and its Dependencies (excepting only those in Victoria District) as well as on the Mainland of British Columbia, the purchase money of which has been fully paid, will on proper application for the same be at once issued.

Such Crown Grants will be made out invariably in the names of the original purchasers from Government, unless in such special cases as are provided for under the "Crown Grant Ordinance, 1870."

Applications must be made by letter, addressed to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works and Surveyor General, giving the Christian and Surnames in full, of the persons to whom the Crown Grants are to be made, and enclosing the receipts for the purchase money of the Land referred to.

Should it be inconvenient for the person in whose name any such Crown Grant is made, to receive the same at this Office, it will be handed to any Agent duly authorized by some instrument in writing, to give a receipt for the same.

JOSEPH W. TRUTCH.

Lands & Works Office,
Victoria, Dec 16th, 1870. de20

PUBLIC NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS IN OCCUPATION OF Surveyed Lands in the undermentioned Districts, viz—

Esquimalt,	Quamichan,
Metchosin,	Somenos,
Sooke	Comiaken,
Highland,	Cedar,
Kennedy,	Chemainus,
Lake,	Cranberry,
North Saanich,	Mountain,
South Saanich,	Nanaimo,
Shawnigan,	Comox,
Cowichan,	

the right to puchase which Lands is legally held by Preemption Record under the "Vancouver Land Proclamations of 1861 and 1862," which Records were made prior to the 1st January, 1870, are hereby required to pay into this Office the amount of the Installments due thereon, on or before the 31st March next ensuing

By comma d.

JOSEPH W TRUTCH.

Lands and Works Office
Victoria B. C., 20th December 1870.

Card of Thanks.

MR. KING, OF CEDAR HILL, BEGS To return his sincere thanks to the undermentioned citizens who so generously aided him to repair his severe osses from the calamitous fire at Cedar Hill. His thanks are specially given to Mr J G Norris for his great kindness in obtaining and collecting the donations:

The Bishop of Columbia, 6 months rent & $150 in lumber..		E Marvin	$ 5 0
		P McQuade	5 0
		C Bossi	5
Gov Musgrave	$20 00	J Murray	5
H Nathan	20 00	Wallace & Hutcheson	5
F Reynolds	20 00	S Bridgman	5
R Finlayson	15 00	J Beaumont	2 50
Young & White	10 00	J Trutch	2 50
W J Macdonald	10 00	J Sere	2 50
R E Jackson	10 00	J Rueff	2 50
JP Davies	10 00	R Burnaby	2 50
E G Alston	10 00	J C Nicholson	2 50
W C Ward	10 00	J Fritzallen	2 50
W Wilson	10 00	J Flackbourn	2 50
T N Hibbin	10 00	A Friend	2 50
G J Stuart	10 00	J B Baker	2 50
G J Findlay	10 00	A Case	2 50
A J Langley	10 00	J Vogel	2 50
Spreat & Co	10 00	A Beswick	2 50
B Lee	10 00	P J Fitterre	2 50
J S Helmcken	10 00	P S Booker	2 50
J H Raymur	10 00	J James	2 50
Sir James Douglas	10 00	W C Bryant	2 50
The Mayor	10 00	T Burnes	2 50
C Pritchard	10 00	A Claverie	2 50
B W Pearse	10 00	P Tissitt	2 50
J Finnerty	10 00	Duck & Sandover	2 50
J D Pemberton	7 50	A F Pemberton	2 50
A Musgrave, jr	5 00	R Bishop	2 50
J W Trutch	5 00	P Steele	2 50
J R Stewart	5 00	J Tunstall	2 00
J Kammerea	5 00	L Franklin	2 00
C Jones	5 00	A Friend	2 00
E Sutro	5 00	L Eckstien	1 00
F Garesche	5 00	J Spelde	1 00
H F Heisterman	5 00	A Friend	1 00
Lowe & Stahlschmidt	5 00	J Smith	1 00
W Andean	5 00	W Huxtable	1 00
H Wootton	5 00	A Gilmore	1 50
J Tod, jr	5 00	C Dupont	1 50

The following is the amount given in produce:

J Irvine	$40 00	W Parsons	$10 00
y & Bales	20 00	S Norn	10 00
E H Jackson	20 00	J Harris	10 00
A Friend	20 00	Mitchell & Johnson	5 00
Mrs Carter	20 00	H Smith	5 00
J Turgo se	15 00	R Baker	5 00
C King	15 00	G Deans	5 00
J A Grahame	15 00	M McCarthy	5 00
J Tod	15 00	J Gosnell	5 00
R Brown	12 50	J Durauch	30 00
Tooley	6 25	J McDonnell	3 50
A Leclaire	10 00	T Karkwood	4 00

Stafford & Hicken...Oats...$20

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French Medicines,

PREPARED BY

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PARIS.

These different medicines represent the most recent medical discoveries, founded on the principles of Chemistry and therapeutics. They must not be confounded with secret or quack me icines, as their names sufficiently indicate th ir composition; a circumstance which has caused them to be appreciated and prescribed by the faculty in the whole world. They widely differ from those numerous medicines advertised in the public paper as able to cure every possible disease, as they are applicable only to but a very few complaints. The most stringent laws exist in France, with regard to the sale o, medical preparations, and only those which have undergone an examination by the Academy of Medicine, and have been proved efficacious, either in the Hospitals, or in the practice of the first medical men, are authorised by the Government. This fact must be a guarrantee for the excellency of MESSRS. GRIMAULT & Co's medicines.

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It is the best and the most rational of all remedies against consumption Under its influence the cough abates, the night sweats cease, and the patient rapidly recovers health. It gives the same results in cases of coughs, catarrhs, hooping coughs and influenza. In comparing this syrup with the other sold under the same name, it will be easy to recognize the superiority of this preparation.

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ARANA.

A single powder of this natural vegetable production t sufficient to cure instantly the most violent sick headache. It is the most valuable remedy against diarrhœa,

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Of certain effect against nausea, pituite, heart-burn, gastritis, gastralgia, children's diarrhœa, inflamation of the mucous coats of the stomach and bowels, vomiting during pregnancy jaundice, etc.

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Grimault's Capsules and Liquid Extract of Matico Vegetalis.

Where all other Medicines have failed, these preparations will always effect a cure. These insure rapid and extraordinary cure of severe, recent and chronic cases of private disease They are used in the Hospitals of Paris, by the celebrated Dr Ricord, and are found greatly superior to all hitherto known mineral remedies and Copabia and Cubebs. The injection is used in recent and capsules in the more chronic cases.

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OF SEA PINE SAP.

These two preparations are invaluable and taken with the utmost success for consumption and the various diseases of the chest, and especially for coughs, colds, catarrahs, influenza, hooping cough, bronchitis, asthma, and also for the different affections, of the urinary organs

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Notice to Architects

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A premium of $250 will be paid for that Design and Drawings which may be selected by the Committee and which will be retained as their property. All other plans sent in will be returned under seal to the respective designers of the same.

By order of the above Committee.

HENRY P. PELLEW CREASE,
Hon Secretary.

Victoria, B C, Jan 7th, 1871. ja8

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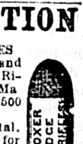

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